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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:  
Kazuo AISAKA et al.

Appln. No.: 09/688,360

Group Art Unit: 2186

Filed: October 12, 2000

Examiner: Z. Li

For: CACHE MEMORY ALLOCATION METHOD

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REQUEST TO VACATE OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the Office Action dated June 3, 2004 be vacated in view of the Amendment dated May 27, 2004. Alternatively, as the Amendment dated May 27, 2004 is believed fully to address the issues raised in the June 3, 2004 Office Action, the Office may treat the Amendment as a response to that Action if deemed appropriate.

Applicants respectfully request a further Office Action on the merits in view of the May 27, 2004 Amendment.

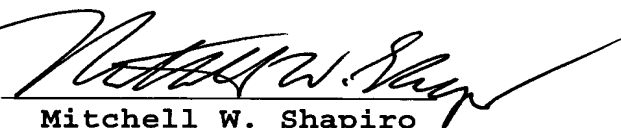
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1165 any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§

1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper and to credit any overpayment to that Account. If any extension of time is required in connection with the filing of this paper and has not been requested separately, such extension is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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